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The police involved shooting that occurred on **Tuesday, February 14, 2017, in the rear of 401 South Powell Avenue**, is still under investigation by the Critical Incident Response Team.

The officers have been identified as:

- Officer Benjamin Leppla #2386. Officer Leppla is an eleven year veteran and is assigned to Zone 3, Patrol Bureau.
- Detective Jean Byrne #1807. Detective Byrne is a twenty-two year veteran and is assigned to Burglary, Property Crimes Bureau.

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